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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Robert Curley and Eli Patashnik

Serial No.:

09/740.804

For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING MEASUREMENT

AND UTILIZATION OF NETWORK LATENCY IN TRANSACTION-

BASED PROTOCOLS

Filing Date: December 21, 2000

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- [x] Petition to Withdraw Notice of Abandonment, Total Pages: 3;
- [x] Copy of Notice of Abandonment, Total Pages: 2;
- [x] Declaration of David W. Rouille, Esq., Total Pages: 3;
- [x] Copy of Amendment, Filed August 16, 2004; Total Pages: 19
- [x] Copy of returned postcards from U.S.P.T.O, dated August 18, 2004; Total Pages: 1;
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Respectfully submitted,

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PETITION TO WITHDRAW NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT

Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(b) and 1.181, applicant hereby petitions to have the Notice of Abandonment that was mailed on January 19, 2005 in connection with the above-captioned case withdrawn. A copy of the Notice is enclosed. According to the Notice, the application was abandoned for applicant's failure to reply to an Office Action that was mailed on May 20, 2004. However, as explained below, a reply was timely filed on August 16, 2004.

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The undersigned, applicant's attorney of record, first became aware of the abandonment on February 8, 2005 upon receipt of the Notice of Abandonment and submits that this petition to withdraw the Notice is being promptly submitted as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(b)(1).

The following documents are submitted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(b)(2) as proof that a reply was timely filed on August 16, 2004.

- 1. A copy of the Amendment, including an executed certificate of mailing signed by Gail L. Hardy on August 16, 2004.
- 2. A copy of the return receipt postcard as stamped August 18, 2004 by the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Also enclosed is an original signed declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(b)(3) by:

David W. Rouille, Esq., attesting on the basis of personal knowledge that the above documents were timely filed on August 16, 2004 and attesting on the basis of personal knowledge to the mail procedures in effect on August 16, 2004.

Applicant submits that the reply was timely filed and requests that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn.

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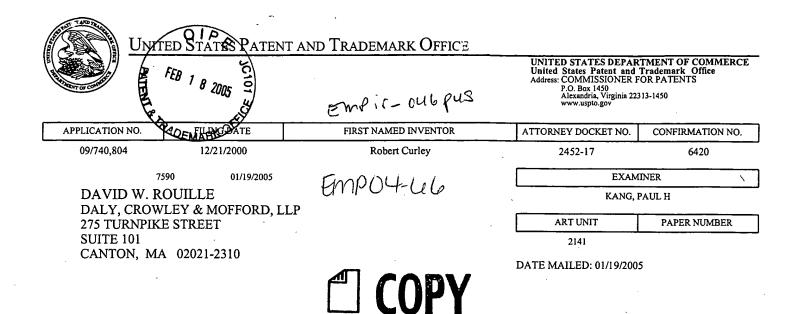
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| This application is abandoned in view of: | | |
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